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PLANT TRANSFORMED BY SAID GENE *"125/03* *DF*

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Sir:

In reply to the Advisory Action dated September 2, 2003, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.

The amendments presented herein comply with the "Revised Amendment Format" as set forth in the Official Gazette Notice dated